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1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF EC COUNCIL REGULATION NO.
1220/77 OF 3 JUNE 1977, WHICH APPROVED US/EC GIFA ON
BEHALF OF THE COMMUNITY:

2. BEGIN TEXT: THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,
HAVING REGARD TO THE TREATY ESTABLISHING THE EUROPEAN
ECONOMIC COMMUNITY, AND IN PARTICULAR ARTICLE 43 THEREOF,

HAVING REGARD TO THE PROPOSAL FROM THE COMMISSION,

HAVING REGARD TO THE OPINION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT
(USEC COMMENT: SEE REF C),

3. WHEREAS THE COMMON FISHERIES POLICY ENVISAGES THE
DETERMINATION OF CONDITIONS FOR FISHING WITH A VIEW TO
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ENSURING THE CONSERVATION OF THE BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES
OF THE SEA, AS IS INDICATED, IN PARTICULAR, IN ARTICLE
102 OF THE ACT OF ACCESSION; WHEREAS TO BE EFFECTIVE THE
MEASURES TAKEN MUST BE APPLIED BY ALL THE PARTIES
CONCERNED;

4. WHEREAS BY ITS RESOLUTION OF 3 NOVEMBER 1976 ON

CERTAIN EXTERNAL ASPECTS OF THE CREATION OF A 200-MILE FISHERIES ZONE IN THE COMMUNITY WITH EFFECT FROM 1 JANUARY 1977, THE COUNCIL AGREED THAT FISHING RIGHTS FOR COMMUNITY FISHERMEN IN THE WATERS OF THIRD COUNTRIES MUST BE OBTAINED AND PRESERVED BY APPROPRIATE COMMUNITY AGREEMENTS;

5. WHEREAS THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COMMUNITY AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA CONCERNING FISHERIES OFF THE COASTS OF THE UNITED STATES SIGNED ON 15 FEBRUARY 1977 SHOULD BE CONCLUDED,

6. HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

ARTICLE 1

THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA CONCERNING FISHERIES OFF THE COASTS OF THE UNITED STATES IS APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE COMMUNITY.

THE TEXT OF THE AGREEMENT IS ANNEXED TO THIS REGULATION.

ARTICLE 2

THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL SHALL, ON BEHALF OF THE COMMUNITY, GIVE THE NOTIFICATION PROVIDED FOR IN ARTICLE XVI OF THE AGREEMENT (THE DATE OF THE ENTRY INTO FORCE OF THE AGREEMENT WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE OFFICIAL UNCLASSIFIED

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JOURNAL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES BY THE GENERAL SECRETARIAT OF THE COUNCIL).

ARTICLE 3

THIS REGULATION SHALL ENTER INTO FORCE THE DAY FOLLOWING ITS PUBLICATION IN THE OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES.

7. THIS REGULATION SHALL BE BINDING IN ITS ENTIRETY AND DIRECTLY APPLICABLE IN ALL MEMBER STATES.

DONE AT BRUSSELS, 3 JUNE 1977.

FOR THE COUNCIL
THE PRESIDENT
J. SILKIN

8. TEXTS OF REGULATION AND CORRECTED TEXTS OF THE GIFA

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